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A RETAIL CATALOGUE  
OF  
NEW  
BEAUTIFUL AND RARE  
PLANTS,

OFFERED BY

WILLIAM BULL, F.R.H.S., F.R.B.S.,

MEMBRE DE LA SOCIÉTÉ IMPÉRIALE D'HORTICULTURE DE PARIS.

— " — " — " — ROYALE DE FLORE DE BRUXELLES.

— " — " — " — D'AGRICULTURE ET DE BOTANIQUE DE GAND

— " — " — " — D'HORTICULTURE DE BERLIN.

NURSERYMAN, AND NEW PLANT MERCHANT,

KING'S ROAD, CHELSEA,

LONDON. S.W.

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Besides the Plants in this Catalogue, **WILLIAM BULL** has a large assortment of well known good things; but as the circulating of *New Plants* is his principal object, they are not here enumerated.

Although W. B. purposes devoting his especial attention to the introduction of **BEAUTIFUL, RARE, AND NEW PLANTS**, both in species and varieties, from his intimate acquaintance with most of the principal Nurserymen in this country, and also those on the Continent, he will be able to supply every article connected with Horticulture and the Nursery business with the greatest facility, and of the very best description.

**WILLIAM BULL** will be happy to make arrangements with *Botanists* or *Naturalists* going abroad for the transmission of *Plants, Seeds, &c.*; and will also be glad to purchase or make arrangements for the sending out of any first-rate *Seedling Varieties of Plants* that may be raised by *Amateurs* or *Gardeners* in this country.

To show the great number of *Novelties* in **WILLIAM BULL's** collection, he submits the following list of awards, all of which have been obtained during the past few months for *New Plants*.

#### FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE.

1861.  
March 12. AGATHEA COELESTIS FOL. VARIEGATIS ..... { Floral Committee Royal  
Horticultural Society.

#### SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

- 20. PTERIS CRETICA ALBO LINEATA ..... Royal Botanic Society.

#### BRONZE MEDAL.

- 20. CALAMUS VERSCHAFFELTI ..... " "

#### CERTIFICATE.

- 20. ARECA VERSCHAFFELTI..... " "

#### CERTIFICATE.

- 20. { RHODEA JAPONICA MACROPHYLLA FOL. AUREUS }  
MARGINATIS ..... " "

#### FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE.

- 26. PTERIS CRETICA ALBO LINEATA ..... { Floral Committee Royal  
Horticultural Society.

#### COMMENDATION.

- 26. PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA NIVEA PLENO .. " "

## COMMENDATION.

- March 26. PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA RUBELLA PLENO { Floral Committee Royal Horticultural Society.

## BRONZE MEDAL.

- April 3. CERXYLON NIVEUM ..... Royal Botanic Society

## CERTIFICATE.

- 3. AMARYLLIS VITTATA FOL. STRIATIS ..... " "

## CERTIFICATE.

- 3. PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA NIVEA PLENO .. " "

## CERTIFICATE.

- 3. PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA RUBELLA PLENO " "

## FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE.

- 9. CAMPYLOBOTRIS REFULGENS ..... { Floral Committee, Royal Horticultural Society.

## BRONZE MEDAL.

- 24. PTERIS RUBRO NERVIA ..... Royal Botanic Society.

## SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

- 24. COLLECTION OF NEW BECONIAS ..... " "

## CERTIFICATE.

- 24. ERICA MEDITERRANEA ALBA ..... " "

## SECOND PRIZE.

- May 18. CAMPYLOBOTRIS REFULGENS ..... Crystal Palace.

## EXTRA PRIZE.

- 18. COLLECTION OF NEW PETUNIAS ..... " "

## FOURTH PRIZE.

- 18. ARECA VERSCHAFFELTI ..... " "

## FOURTH PRIZE.

- 18. { RHODEA JAPONICA MACROPHYLLA FOL. AUREUS }  
MARGINATA ..... " "

## FOURTH PRIZE.

- 18. DRACÆNA SPECTABILIS ..... " "

## SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

- 22. CALADIUM TROUBETZKOII ..... Royal Botanic Society.

## BRONZE MEDAL.

- 22. CUPANIA PINDAIBA ..... " "

## SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

- 22. CAMPYLOBOTRIS PYROPHYLLA ..... " "

## BRONZE MEDAL.

- 22. ARECA LUTESCENS ..... " "

## BRONZE MEDAL.

May 22. RHOPALA CRENATA ..... Royal Botanic Society.

## LARGE SILVER MEDAL.

— 22. COLLECTION OF 18 NEW AND RARE PLANTS .. " "

## SILVER MEDAL.

— 22. COLLECTION OF 6 NEW AND RARE PALMS .. " "

## CERTIFICATE.

June 12. DRACÆNA SPECTABILIS ..... " "

## CERTIFICATE.

— 12. ARALIA DUNCANI ..... " "

## CERTIFICATE.

— 12. { RHODEA JAPONICA MACROPHYLLA FOL. AUR. }  
MARG ..... " "

## SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

— 12. COLLECTION OF NEW BEGONIAS ..... " "

## BRONZE MEDAL.

— 12. { COLLECTION OF 12 NEW AND RARE VARIE- }  
GATED PLANTS ..... " "

## BRONZE MEDAL.

— 12. { COLLECTION OF 12 NEW AND RARE ORNA- }  
MENTAL PLANTS ..... " "

## COMMENDATION.

— 25. CORGEA SCANDENS VARIEGATA ..... { Floral Committee Royal  
Horticultural Society.

## COMMENDATION.

— 25. CUPANIA PINDAIBA ..... " "

## COMMENDATION.

— 25. COLEUS VERSCHAFFELTI ..... " "

## SILVER MEDAL.

July 3. ANÆTOCHILUS CHRYSOPRASUS ..... Royal Botanic Society.

## SILVER MEDAL.

— 3. ANÆTOCHILUS ARGYRONEURA ..... " "

## SMALL SILVER MEDAL.

— 3. COLEUS VERSCHAFFELTI ..... " "

## BRONZE MEDAL.

— 3. COLLECTION OF 25 NEW AND RARE PLANTS .. " "

## FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE.

Aug. 13. ATHYRIUM FILIX-FÆMINA FRIZELLÆ ..... { Floral Committee Royal  
Horticultural Society.

# NEW AND BEAUTIFUL PLANTS

TO BE SENT OUT THE FIRST TIME THIS AUTUMN.

## CAMELLIA—"QUEEN OF BEAUTIES."

William Bull begs to announce that, conjointly with M. Ambroise Verschaffelt, he has purchased from M. Vervaeke the entire stock of this, the most exquisite Camellia ever offered; when exhibited at Ghent (that City of Camellias) it received the highest prize that could be awarded, and was the admiration of all that saw it: the flowers are very large, full, and double, of the most beautiful, regular, imbricated, circular form; petals firm, shell-like, smooth in texture, and soft in appearance; colour the most pleasing delicate blush; growth and habit excellent and blossoms freely produced.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

Price 21s., 42s., and a few extra strong plants, 63s. each.

## COLEUS VERSCHAFFELTI.

This truly grand and magnificent species, imported from Java, is unquestionably the most strikingly beautiful plant that has been introduced this season. As a variegated or ornamental plant it stands unrivalled; and from the ease with which it may be cultivated, will doubtless be grown in almost every collection of ornamental plants. It succeeds well with almost any treatment in the summer, and during the winter merely requires a warm greenhouse. The foliage is elegantly lacinate, and on young plants deep crimson, margined with bright green; but as the plants attain size and age, the leaves lose the green, and become entirely of a glowing crimson; and then their splendour is such, that they give the idea of the richest silk velvet, so lustrous is their appearance. The plant is of very free growth, and easily makes a good specimen. 10s. 6d. each. The price of handsome specimens can be had on application.

In connection with M. Ambroise Verschaffelt, W. B. has purchased the entire stock.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

## NEW, BEDDING SHRUBBY CALCEOLARIA—"SPARKLER."

This striking variety is the model-type of what a bedding Calceolaria should represent. Many of the kinds that have been sent out as shrubby bedding varieties during the last few years have had so much of the herbaceous strain in their constitution, that when used for bedding purposes they have only caused disappointment: the variety now offered is a thoroughly shrubby, useful, bedding kind, of free growth and excellent habit. Its dense masses of flower are produced on stiff foot-

stalks in the most abundant manner throughout the season: its name is derived from its peculiarly bright colour, which neither scorching sun or drenching rain in any way effects. This is a very important feature in a bedding plant, especially where distant effect is required. Colour, bright crimson or scarlet brown, with clean bright yellow cap.

The entire stock has been purchased from Mrs. Conway, of Brompton. 7s. 6d. each,

### **NEW FUCHSIA.—“INCOMPARABLE.”**

This attractive variety has a beautiful rich purple well-formed corolla of unusual length, which gives to the flower a remarkable appearance; the sepals are also long and very broad, finely reflexed, of a bright crimson colour; excellent short-jointed habit and very free bloomer. 7s. 6d. each.

### **NEW, DOUBLE FUCHSIA.—“TRUE BLUE.”**

A charming flower, quite distinct from any other in cultivation, corolla very double, and a beautiful bright clear blue colour; tube and sepals crimson; short-jointed, stiff habit, and a very free bloomer. 7s. 6d. each.

### **NEW, VARIEGATED GERANIUM.—“QUEEN OF QUEENS.”**

The most beautiful flowering, variegated-foliated Geranium ever yet raised; the blossoms are of gigantic size, each flower measuring nearly two inches in diameter, or considerably larger than a five-shilling piece; colour, the most dazzling scarlet, the plant extremely floriferous; in fact, it is a perpetual bloomer, for it produces its rich scarlet flowers in the greatest profusion winter and summer. It will be invaluable for forcing and winter decoration. This exquisite variety is a free grower, of excellent habit, with clear silvery-margined leaves.

The entire stock has been purchased from Mr. R. Weatherill. Price 10s. 6d. each.

### **NEW, ZONALE GERANIUM.—“DIADEM.”**

One of the most effective ornamental zoned-leaved varieties yet offered. The centre of the leaf is a greenish yellow, surrounded with a broad zone of brownish purple, and thickly margined with green; the blossoms are freely produced, vivid scarlet, surpassingly brilliant: an extremely fine variety.

The entire stock has been purchased. 7s. 6d. each.

### **NEW, ZONALE GERANIUM.—“CLARA.”**

Fine rich deep pink, good form; neat, free, and compact growth, excellent for bedding, and an essential variety in any collection.

The entire stock has been purchased. 5s. each.

**NEW, ZONALE GERANIUM.—“GEM OF ROSES.”**

Unquestionably the best variety of its class ever offered; colour, the most pleasing, soft, clear rose. The individual flowers are of extraordinary dimensions, and as nearly perfection in shape as possible, being as round and as large as a crown-piece; the trusses are very fine, and the habit free and good.

The entire stock has been purchased from Mr. C. J. Perry. Plants 7s. 6d. each.

**NEW MIMULUS.—“GAIETY.”**

This variety is a decided advance on all in present cultivation; habit very dwarf and compact, producing its blossoms in the greatest profusion, and of gigantic size; colour bright orange, with broad regular margins of claret maroon, of a velvety appearance, throat and lower lip densely spotted with the same colour.

The entire stock has been purchased from Mr. W. Young. Price 5s. each.

WILLIAM BULL has the pleasure to announce that he has made arrangements with that celebrated horticulturist, M. Verschaffelt, of Ghent, Belgium, for the *sole distribution* of his New Plants throughout Great Britain and Ireland. M. Verschaffelt is well known as the introducer of many new and good plants, and he is now sure to be constantly adding to his stock of Novelties, inasmuch as he has that zealous Collector, M. Ghiesbreght, constantly searching and exploring in South America for New and Choice Plants.

W. B. will send out the following New Plants from M. Verschaffelt this autumn:

**AZALEA (Indica).—“DIEUDONÉ SPAE.”**

Ground colour rich salmon, all the petals beautifully margined with white, upper petals distinctly spotted with dark crimson; a large and noble flower, of good substance, excellent habit and free bloomer. 12s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

**AZALEA (Indica).—“DUC D'AREMBERG.”**

A model shaped flower of good substance, centre carmine, and each petal feathered with the same colour; blotched and margined with white and striped with bright crimson, a very pretty variety. 12s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.



**AZALEA (Indica).—"MADAME AMBROISE VERSCHAFFELT."**

This extremely novel and showy hybrid has very large flowers, violet rose bordered with white, flaked and striped with rich crimson, upper petals spotted with maroon and beautifully marked with rich crimson. 18s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

**CAMPYLOBOTRIS GHIESBREGHTI.**

This elegant and fine distinct species adds another gem to our beautiful foliaged plants. Its rich, lanceolate, pretty-veined foliage is of the most fascinating description; it was awarded a silver medal at the last May exhibition of the Royal Botanic Society, Regent's Park, as a plant of the highest ornamental character. It was discovered in Mexico by the enterprising collector whose name it bears. 12s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

**NEW EARLY-FLOWERING DWARF POMPON  
CHRYSANTHEMUMS.**

*Price 24s. the collection of Six.*

**Madame Angèle Dinnat**, light yellow, bordered light rose, perfect form.

**Antigone**, light violet, good shape

**Ninette**, very dark red, splendid, perfect form.

**Coquette**, rose, centre rose and yellow, beautiful

**Madame Mariè Planès**, yellow brown, very rare colour

**La Sibylle**, beautiful yellow, excellent shape.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

The above are the seedling productions of that eminent, continental Chrysanthemum grower and raiser, **MONSIEUR LEROIS**. They are therefore offered with confidence as desirable new kinds.

**KOHLERIA LANATA.**

A novel and interesting gesneriaceous plant, discovered and sent from Mexico by M. Ghiesbreght. The stem and under part of the leaves are densely covered with long brilliant orange red hairs, giving the plant a very singular appearance. The flowers are produced freely at the axils of the leaves; tube, orange shaded with bright red, and ended by fine reflexed lobes of a straw-yellow, spotted and edged with bright crimson; the plant is of easy culture and will be an acquisition to our stoves, flowering as it does through the winter season. 12s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.



**RHYNCOSIA ALBO-NITENS.**

This Mexican plant supplies a want that has been long felt in our temperate flora, viz., that of a free-growing Greenhouse Climber, with ample ornamental foliage. The distinctive, effective, and desirable character of the climber now offered must render it not only very useful but a great favourite for greenhouse and conservatory ornamentation; the leaves are of a bright green, with irregular white variegation along both sides of the mid-rib; the flowers are produced in racemes, of a violet mauve colour. 18s. each.

\* Figured in *L'Illustration Horticole*.

\* "*L'Illustration Horticole*" is an excellent horticultural work, published in monthly numbers, by M. Ambroise Verschaffelt. Each number contains three or four well-executed coloured plates of new, popular, or rare plants. This work is strongly recommended, not only for the fidelity with which the drawings are made, but also because it is published at such a moderate price, viz., 14s. 6d. for the entire year; will be forwarded, free, on application.

**STOVE PLANTS.**

(O.) prefixed to the name denotes Ornamental Foliaged; (P.) Palms;

(V.) Variegated Foliage.

**Achimenes Mauve Perfection.**—Compact in habit, flowers of beautiful form and wax-like substance; colour, mauve blue, 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d.

— *miniata*, 3s. 6d.

**V. *Adelaster albivenis*.**—This fine novelty, of which the flowers are as yet unknown, is very ornamental in its foliage, which is so beautifully varied in hue, and so strikingly marked in its venation, as to render the plant a valuable addition to the ornamented-leaved class. The plant was introduced from Peru, and proves to be of free growth, succeeding well in a warm greenhouse during the summer, and requiring only a slight increase of temperature in the winter months. From the ease with which it may be culti-

vated, and its fine variegation, it will prove valuable for decorative purposes. The leaves, which grow in opposite pairs, are, in the moderate sized plants, about six inches long, and of a dark shaded olive green, while the central rib, which is broad and conspicuous, and all the principal veins, are white, forming a distinct light-coloured net work over the dark shaded surface. The leaves are purplish underneath. 21s.

**O. *Alocasía Metallica*.**—This is beyond all question, and without any exception, the most beautiful ornamental foliageed-plant yet introduced to this country. It was imported from Borneo. No description can do justice to the gorgeous beauty of its lustrous metallic bronzy leaves,

14in. in length, 10in. in breadth, which, unlike the *Caladiums* (to which genus the plant is closely allied), are retained on the plant in perfect beauty all the year. 63s.

*V. Ananas eativus variegatus*, 21e.

*O. ANTHURIUM ACAULE*, 15s.

*O. Aralia Duncani*.—An elegant growing species from the Mauritius. 31s. 6d.

*P. Areca aurea*.—An exceedingly graceful species. 63s.

*P.*—*luteecens*.—A beautiful species from Madagascar. 31e. 6d.

*P.*—*Verechaffelti*.—From Madagascar, one of the finest of this noble family. 84s. to 210s.

*Aepidistra punctata*.—Fine dark green foliage, spotted with white. 10s. 6d.

BEGONIA.—See page 16.

*BOUCAINVILLEA SPLENDENS*, 5s.

*V. Caladium ARGYRITES*, 3s. 6d. to 5s.

*V.*—*Barraquini*.—A fine showy species, the leaves are rather large, ovately cordate-sagittate; the entire central parts red, with a shaded border of green. Para. 15s.

*V.*—*Belleymeii*.—A very handsome plant, with ornamental arrow-shaped leaves which have the surface white, except in irregular lines along the course of the veins and a narrow portion of the margin where it is green, forming a green network on a white ground; there is a tinge of rose colour near the centre. Para. 10s. 6d. to 15s.

*V.*—*CHANTINI*, 3s. 6d. to 5s.

*V.*—*CUPREUM*, New

*V.*—*HOULETTI*, 5s.

*V.*—*PICTUM*, 5s.

*V.*—*PÆCILE*, true, 7s. 6d.

*V. Caladium SCHELLERI*, New

*V.*—*SCHMITZI*, New

*V.*—*Troubetzkoi*.—Pretty, with ornamental leaves, which are of moderate size, narrowly arrow-shaped, with deep basil lobes; the midrib of the anterior portion and of the basil lobes being red broken in a feathered band, and the rest of the surface being green marked with white spots, some of which are purplish in the centre. Para. 15s.

*O.*—*Veitchi*.—This magnificent species, which was found in Borneo by Mr. Thomas Lobb, certainly occupies the first rank amongst the many *Caladiums* now cultivated, by reason of its great beauty and its very distinct character. It was exhibited before the Floral Committee of the Royal Horticultural Society, on September 8, 1859, when it was awarded a first-class certificate, "as a distinct, novel, and beautiful addition to the class of ornamental-foliaged plants," and was described in the following terms:—"The leaves are large, firm, about a foot long, and five inches across, pointing downwards, arrow-head shaped, being divided for about one-third of their length, the divisions forming two slightly divergent basal lobes, while the attachment of the long green curiously scratched or purple pencilled stalks is central or peltate; the upper surface is polished, dark green, the lower dark lurid purple, from which a bronzy metallic tinge is transmitted to the upper surface in certain lights. The stout central rib, with its two branches extending up the basal lobes, and its main diagonal branches, as well as the border of the leaves, are ivory white." This is unquestionably one

of the finest things ever offered. Plants of it will be ready this autumn; and orders, which are now being taken, will then be executed. 63s.

*V. Caladium Wighti*.—A very handsome new form, with the habit of *C. bicolor*; the leaves rich green, moderately dotted or flecked with angular spots of clear white, others of a bright red being intermixed with them; the contrast between the three colours in the leaf produces a very pretty effect. 10s. 6d. to 15s.

*P. Calamus micranthus*.—A very handsome species from Java, fine plants, 84s.

*V. Calathea* (MARANTA) *PARDINA*, 10s. 6d.

*CALLIANDRA HÆMATOCEPHALA*, 10s. 6d.

*V. Calocasia EDULIS VARIEGATIS*.

*O. Campylobotris pyrophylla*.—A nice foliated plant, from the Volean of San Martin, in South Mexico. 21s.

*O. — refulgens*.—Discovered and introduced from Chiapa in Mexico, a plant of the most exquisitely ornamental character, vastly superior to any of the other kinds of *Campylobotris*, and one that no select collection will long be without. It was awarded a First Class Certificate of Merit when exhibited at the Royal Botanic Gardens, Regent's Park; also, a First Class Certificate of Merit by the Floral Committee of the Royal Horticultural Society. 31s. 6d.

*O. — regalis*.—An ornamental subshrub, the leaves stalked, broadly-elliptic, narrowing both to the base and apex, the surface somewhat bullate, but with a satiny lustre, bronzy green, the main rib and principal side veins of a pale grayish colour. Chiapa. 7s. 6d.

*P. CARYOTA URENS*, 5s. and 7s. 6d.

*P. Ceroxylon niveum*.—The silver palm from New Granada. 63s.

*V. Cissus porphyrophyllus*.—A handsome leaved free-growing climber, producing heart-shaped leaves of about five inches long, of a rich emerald green in the younger stages, changing as they become older to a deep purplish green. The leaves are convex, and being also longitudinally ribbed with the rib depressed, the satiny richly shaded surface is shown to much advantage; the under surface is purple, and along the course of the veins on the upper surface are scattered irregular angular livid or pale purplish flecks or blotches. India. 7s. 6d.

*V. Cossignya borbonica*.—Fine foliage, with rich orange centre rib, very rare. 63s.

*V. CROTON LONGIFOLIUM VARIEGATUM*, 5s.

*V. — CASCARILLA*, 10s. 6d.

*O. Cupania Pindaiba*.—An exceedingly ornamental and graceful plant from the Brazils. 63s.

*O. Cyanophyllum magnificum*.—One of the most beautiful ornamental foliated plants in cultivation. 10s. 6d. to 42s.

*O. — speciosum*.—A very handsome noble species, from Chiapa; very distinct, upper part of the leaves of a pale green and the lower part of a bright red. 31s. 6d. to 63s.

*O. DASYLIPIUM ACROTRICHE*, 21s.

*V. DIEFFENBACHIA MACULATA*, 5s. and 7s. 6d.

*V. — PICTA*, 5s.

*V. — VARIABILIS*, 5s.

*DIONCEA MUSCIPULA* (Venus's Fly Trap), 7s. 6d. and 10s. 6d.

*O. DRACÆNA ARBOREA*, 7s. 6d. to 42s.

*O. — BRASILIENSIS*, 7s. 6d.

*O. — DRACO*, 7s. 6d. to 42s.

*O. — EHRENBERRGHI*.—A very fine species, from Mirador, 42s.

*V. — FERREA GRANDIS*, 42s.

*O. — FRAGRANS LATIFOLIA*, 21s.

— *GRACILIS*, 10s. 6d. and 15s.

*V. — NOBILIS*, 7s. 6d.

*O. — NUTANS*, 21s.

*O. — RUBRA*, 5s.

*O. — SIAMENSE*, 31s. 6d.

*O. — SPECTABILIS*.—An exceedingly graceful species, from Mirador, 63s.

*V. — TERMINALIS*, 7s. 6d. and 10s. 6d.

**Echites rosa campestris**.—A magnificent species. 63s.

— **splendens**.—Fine, healthy, extra sized plants of this beautiful exhibition plant, 10s. 6d. and 15s.

*O. FICUS BEGONIAEFOLIA*, 21s.

*GESNERIA CARNEA*, 5s.

— **pyramidalis**.—The most beautiful of this family, producing its handsome red flowers in the greatest profusion in fine pyramids. 31s. 6d.

**Gloxinia**.—See page 17.

*O. Gomphia Theophrasta*, 21s.

*O. Hippomane longifolia*, 21s. to 63s.

**Impatiens flaccida**.—Beautiful bright lilac, with a crimson shade in the centre of the lobes. New, distinct, and good, from Ceylon. 5s.

**Ipomæa Horsfalli**.—Fine, healthy, extra sized plants of this magnificent climber, 10s. 6d. and 15s.

**Ixora Amboynensis**.—A superb free-blooming species, from Amboyna, of excellent habit in growth, and producing much larger flower heads

than any other yet introduced; of a bright orange colour, shaded with scarlet. 5s. and 7s. 6d.

**Ixora jucunda**.—A species from Ceylon, with smooth lanceolate leaves and terminal corymbs of white flowers. 10s. 6d.

*P. LATANIA JENKINSI*, 21s.

*P. — BORBONICA*, 21s. and 42s.

*P. — rubra*.—Really beautiful foliage. 21s. to 63s.

*P. — Verschaffelti*.—A handsome fan palm from the Indian Archipelago, having the leaf stalks and the margin of the long sharp pointed segments of the leaves of a bright crimson colour. 63s.

*P. Maranta orbifolia*.—Large and robust species from the Brazils, leaves covered with white stripes. 21s.

*V. MARANTA ALBO-LINEATA*, 5s. and 7s. 6d.

*V. — ORNATA*, 31s. 6d.

*V. — REGALIS*, 5s. and 7s. 6d.

*V. — VITTATA*, 5s. and 7s. 6d.

— *WARSCIEWICZI*, 7s. 6d.

*MARCGRAVIA ROTUNDFOLIA*, 10s. 6d.

*P. MAURITIA FLEXUOSA*, 42s.

*P. — vinifera*.—A beautiful Brazilian species, 42s.

*NEPENTHES DISTILLATORIA*, 10s. 6d.

— *LÆVIS*, 31s. 6d.

— *RAFFLESIANA*, 21s. and 42s.

*P. OENOCARPUS BATAVA*, 63s.

*P. — dealbata*.—A beautiful Brazilian species, 42s.

*P. — MARPORA*.

*O. Oreopanax dactylifolium*.—An exceedingly ornamental plant from Mexico. 63s.

*V. Pandanus javanicus*.—fol. arg. var.  
10s. 6d. to 21s.

*O.*— *mauritanicus* (*elegantissimus*).—  
The most graceful of the *Pandanus*  
family. 31s. 6d.

*O.*— *UTILIS*. 10s. 6d. to 42s.

*V. PAVETTA BORBONICA*. 21s. and 42s.

*PHILODENDRON DISCOLOR*, 10s. 6d.

*O. Phyllogathis rotundifolia*.—A beau-  
tiful foliaged plant from Java. 42s.

*Plocostemma lasianthum*.—A very  
beautiful free flowering asclepia-  
deous plant from Borneo; superb  
foliage, 15s.

*V. POGONIA DISCOLOR*.

*O. Pollia purpurea*.—A very handsome,  
new, ornamental plant from Java,  
surface of the leaves copper colour,  
underneath beautiful bright purple.  
31s. 6d.

*V. Pothos argyrea*, beautifully marbled  
leaves, from Borneo. 3s. 6d. to 5s.

*O. PYROSTRIA POLYMORPHA*, 10s. 6d.

*O. RHOPALA CRENATA*, 42s.

*O.*— *CORCOVADENSIS*, 15s. and 21s.

*O.*— *JONGHI*, 42s.

*O.*— *MAGNIFICA*, 21s. and 42s.

*O.*— *SKINNERI*, 15s. and 21s.

*V. Sauropus Gardneri*, 21s.

*O. SCHIADOPHYLLUM PULCHRUM*, 42s.

*SONERILA ELEGANS*, 7s. 6d.

*V.*— *MARGARITACEA ALBA*, 5s.

*V. Sphærostemma marmorata*.—A climb-  
ing stove plant, introduced from  
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- Antonio.**—Upper petals rich maroon, edged with rose; under petals rosy purple, heavily blotched with maroon; dwarf habit; very fine.
- Archimede.**—Faint rose, dark crimson maroon spots; violet centro.
- Ariadne.**—Upper petals dark maroon, edged with crimson; under petals bright crimson, blotched with maroon; a fine bold flower.
- Bertia.**—Full deep rose, with rich spots on the lower petals, rich carmine top petals; a most profuse bloomer.
- Brilliant.**—Upper petals rich crimson, surrounded with fiery scarlet, margined with rose; under petals beautiful clear vivid salmon, with bright crimson spots; good habit, and very free flowering.
- Dimorah.**—Upper petals dark maroon blotch, surrounded with purplish crimson; under petals rosy carmine, shaded with purple, large dark crimson spots; a very fine shaped flower, and an abundant bloomer.

- Edmond Bossier.**—Upper petals black maroon, bordered with bright carmine; lower petals carmine rose, with black spots and purple veins.
- Endymion.**—Bright rose, each petal regularly spotted with black maroon, white centre.
- Esmeralda.**—Upper petals dark rich crimson, edged with scarlet; under petals of the brightest vivid crimson with dark spots; a very striking colour.
- Florian.**—Fine rosy carmine, with white centre; each petal spotted with maroon, and bordered with white.
- Ianthe.**—Upper petals of the richest maroon, edged with crimson; under petals bright salmon, clearly spotted with dark crimson; a fine bold flower, and free bloomer.
- King of the Belgians.**—Upper petals dark maroon, edged with purplish crimson; under petals strikingly blotched with maroon on a crimson ground, margined with rose; a very fine, and rich dark variety.
- Lima.**—Upper petals crimson, shaded with purple, edged with carmine, under petals light rosy purple, with dark spots; good habit and striking variety.
- Linne.**—Upper petals crimson maroon; lower petals deep crimson, violet centre.
- Madame Curcier.**—Superb rose, with maroon spots, and white centre.
- Marvellous.**—Upper petals dark velvety maroon, surrounded with rich rosy crimson; under petals salmony scarlet, with large dark blotch; a beautiful smooth, large round flower, of exquisite form; superb variety.
- Monsieur Guidon.**—Upper petals spotted with black, and bordered with vermilion; lower petals purplish carmine, with maroon spots, white centre.
- Octavie Malet.**—Salmon flesh, with maroon and carmine spots on all the petals.
- Prince Alfred.**—Upper petals rich glossy maroon, edged with crimson; under petals rosy carmine, with dark crimson spots, white throat; a fine large flower, of good form.
- Princess Alice.**—Upper petals rich maroon, surrounded with crimson, edged with bright rose, under petals soft pink, cleanly and strongly blotched with deep crimson; a very large truss, and free bloomer; a charming variety.
- **Louisa.**—Upper petals bright rose, spotted with maroon, surrounded with crimson; under petals very clear soft pink, with clean crimson spots; a very pretty variety.
- Raphael.**—Upper petals maroon, surrounded with bright crimson, under petals fiery crimson spotted with maroon; a distinct and beautiful variety.
- Scintilla.**—Upper petals dark crimson, edged with rosy carmine; under petals rosy carmine, blotched with crimson; a very distinct and beautiful variety.
- Prince Arthur.**—Upper petals very bright fiery scarlet, spotted with black; under petals bright salmon, with clean black spots; a most striking variety.
- Prince Leopold.**—Upper petals dark crimson, margined with bright rose; under petals bright carmine, edged with rose, and spotted with crimson; a fine large bold flower, very beautiful.
- Thirza.**—Delicate pink lower petals, spotted with dense maroon, top petals dark maroon, shaded margin.
- Telemaque.**—Upper petals scarlet and black, bordered with bright crimson; lower petals deep cherry, with black spots.



- Ventenat.**—Upper petals amaranth carmine, with black spots; lower petals pale violet amaranth, with black spots.
- Vesuvius.**—Upper petals fiery crimson, blotched with maroon; under petals bright fiery red, spotted with crimson; a very good variety, of dwarf habit.
- Vicomtesse de Bellevue.**—Bright crimson, with faint spots; centre white shaping to violet.
- Victor Emmanuel.**—Upper petals rich velvety maroon, shading off to bright crimson, edged with rose; under petals very richly blotched with crimson, surrounded with rosy crimson, edged with carmine; a fine bold and striking flower; very abundant bloomer, with large trusses.

## NEW SHOW GERANIUMS,

60s. per dozen.

- Argo (Hoyle).**—A large rich dark flower, of fine substance, lower petals deep rose, light centre, rich dark top petals.
- Beauty of Reading (Hoyle).**—White centre, lower petals richly painted with bright carmine, velvety dark maroon top petals, with narrow bright margin; fine form and very smooth.
- Bertram (Foster).**—Lower petals rosy lilac, white centre, dark maroon top petals, with narrow margin of rose.
- Bijou (Foster).**—A novel shade of purple, dark top petals, with purple margin.
- Garibaldi (Foster).**—A large bold free-flowering variety, of fine form, lower petals painted rose, white centre, top petals dark maroon, rose margin.
- James Lodge (Hoyle).**—Light centre, rose lower petals, rich maroon top, large and free, an improved *Monarch*.
- Lady Taunton (Turner).**—White, with large maroon spot on top petals, leaving a margin of white; fine form.
- Lurline (Hoyle).**—A fine-shaped flower in the style of *Candidate*, but larger; rich top petals, margin and lower petals rose, white centre; very smooth.
- Modesty (Beek).**—Pure white, with dark maroon spot on top petals, fine form and dwarf habit; a good variety for exhibition.
- Mrs. Benyon (Hoyle).**—Large clear white centre, deep warm rose lower petals, tinted; rich maroon top, shaded off to a delicate rose margin; large, free, bright and striking.
- Mulberry (Beek).**—Very rich painted lower petals, dark maroon top petals, with narrow margin of purple; fine and very effective.
- Murillo (Hoyle).**—Lilac rose, lower petals tinted with deep rose, very dark rich top petals, crimson margin; fine form and substance.
- Norma (Hoyle).**—Deep rose lower petals, maroon top shaded to the margin; a large, bold, fine flower for exhibition.
- Perdita (Foster).**—Rich crimson lower petals, painted; white centre, black top petals, with a narrow margin of crimson; a free blooming variety, of fine quality.

- Rosa Bonheur** (*Foster*).—Bright scarlet crimson lower petals, dark maroon top, margin of scarlet; very free and bright.
- (*Hoyle*). Very clear large white throat, deep lake lower petals richly tinted with carmine, top petals carmine and black; free, fine, and attractive.
- The Gem of Roses** (*Beck*).—A new and pleasing shade of rose, clear large white throat, maroon spot on top petals; free and very smooth.
- The Lady of Quality** (*Beck*).—Rich orange rose, with maroon spot on top petals, shaded off to the margin with orange and rose, clear white centre; very fine quality, and free.
- Transcendent** (*Beck*).—A new style of flower of the greatest richness, lower petals bright crimson finely and firmly painted, black top petals with narrow margin of fiery crimson; very glossy smooth fine flower.
- Volunteer** (*Hoyle*).—Centre and edges of lower petals white, richly painted with waxy orange carmine; a highly coloured and attractive flower, free and early bloomer.

## NEW FANCY GERANIUMS.

84s. per dozen.

- Arabella Goddard**.—Bright lilac carmine, with pure white throat and edges, very smooth, form extra.
- Bianca**.—Upper petals maroon, surrounded with violet, evenly margined with pure white; under petals pure white, with a central belt of violet crimson.
- Delight**.—Warm rosy crimson, under petals spotted with bright oerise, light throat and edges, slender habit.
- King of Roses**.—Bright carmine rose, with white throat and edges, very round and smooth.
- Lovely**.—Upper petals rich violet crimson margined with white; under petals bright carmine, shaded with violet, white centre; clean and excellent variety.
- Madame Sainton Dolby**.—Rosy crimson lake, under petals mottled with rosy crimson; fine form and good habit.
- Master Harry**.—Bright purple, with bluish throat, erect habit, and good form.
- Pet**.—Upper petals rosy pink, edged with white; under petals soft pink, white centre; a perfect model in form.
- Profusion**.—Upper petals crimson maroon edged with white; under petals violet crimson margined with white, white centre; a beautiful free flowering variety.
- Rollissoni**.—Upper petals rich rosy crimson edged with white; under petals rich carmine margined with white, white centre; a perfect gem.
- Rosy Gem**.—Upper and under petals a bright rosy carmine, encircled with white.
- The Champion**.—Rich purple puce, with bluish throat and light edges, form extra.

## ZONALE GERANIUMS.

- Aurora.**—Very large flowers, of good form, salmon, an exceedingly fine variety. 5s.  
**Candidissima.**—Pure white, large flowers and good trusses. 3s. 6d.  
**Clara.**—See page 6.  
**Clymene.**—An ornamental foliated distinctly zonate variety, with fine trusses of bright cherry-coloured blossoms. 5s.  
**Comtesse de Puligny.**—Bright rose, good form. 3s. 6d.  
**Delicata.**—Pink, with white marking on the top petals; very useful for bedding, on account of its immensely free blooming character, good habit. 5s.  
**Diadem.**—See page 6.  
**Gem of Roses.**—See page 7.  
**Lady Rokeby.**—This variety will be an universal favourite, because the habit is everything that can be desired; it flowers in the most redundant manner, is first-rate either for bedding or pot culture, it forces well and is a good winter bloomer; the trusses of blossom are of immense size, individual flowers of good substance; colour a bright, pleasing, rosy scarlet. 3s. 6d.  
**L'Etna.**—Deep rose, suffused with scarlet, good form and fine trusses, admirable. 5s.  
**Loveliness.**—A dwarf and compact distinctly zonate variety, with soft, delicate pink blossoms, prettily and largely marked in the upper petals with pure white; of excellent form, substance, and outline. 3s. 6d.  
**Lucien Tisserand.**—Beautiful orange scarlet, white centre, a fine flower and good truss. 3s. 6d.  
**Marie Thierry.**—Blush, enormous truss, large flower of good form, extra fine. 5s.  
**Princess of Prussia.**—Remarkably compact and rounded trusses of flowers standing erect above the foliage, the blossoms are of a bright orange-tinted scarlet on the upper surface, and rosy-scarlet beneath. Each truss contains from fifty to sixty blossoms, which are retained upon the flower-stem until the whole are expanded, a feature which is of great value in all flowers intended for groups or for vase culture. 3s. 6d.  
**Queen of Queens.**—See page 6.  
**St. Fiacre.**—Rich vermilion, white centre. 3s. 6d.  
**Tintoret.**—A new colour difficult to describe, bright rose suffused with pink; a model in form, good habit, fine truss and free bloomer. 7s. 6d.  
**Zelie.**—Flower and truss very large and fine, colour rosy scarlet, beautiful form. 5s.

## NEW PETUNIAS.

## DOUBLE FLOWERED VARIETIES.

18s. per dozen.

- Admiration.**—Violet, shaded with crimson.  
**Alexander Albeau.**—A very deep velvety crimson, large flower.  
**Caspar Schindler.**—Brilliant crimson, flowers very large and fine.  
**Celestial.**—Shaded violet crimson, fine stiff petal, excellent form.

- Constance Nivelet.**—Violet crimson, blotched with white, very free blooming.  
**Delicatissima.**—Bright rose, veined with carmine, of fine form.  
**Ernest Leprevotte.**—Carmine, reticulated with purple, with a deep rose border.  
**Inimitabilis rubra.**—Bright crimson, blotched with white, very fine; a medium sized flower.  
 — **Rex.**—Violet crimson, blotched and margined with pure white, very large and perfect in form.  
 — **Eliza Mathieu.**—Light violet rose, largely spotted and bordered with snowy white, extra fine.  
 — **perfecta.**—White, largely blotched with violet, good shape.  
 — **superba.**—Pure white, blotched with a delicate lilac mauve; very distinct.  
**Isaie.**—Rose, deeply veined with a shaded violet carmine.  
**Jeanne d'Arc.**—White, of enormous size, slightly veined with violet crimson, a very striking variety.  
**Jeane Faber.**—Lilac purple, large size, good.  
**Le Geant.**—Shaded violet crimson, an enormous semi-double flower.  
**Le Noir.**—Bright deep crimson, shaded with black, very double, a truly magnificent variety.  
**Lehrer Louis.**—Lilac, veined with violet.  
**Madame Jules Elie.**—Purplish crimson, veined and ribboned with pure white, very double and of enormous size.  
 — **Lanzezeur.**—Purplish crimson, blotched and bordered with pure white, beautiful form.  
 — **Rendatler.**—Light rose, beautifully veined with carmine.  
**Marie Rendatler.**—Amaranth with large blotches of pure white, a beautiful variety, one of the best in cultivation.  
**Mons. Boucharlet.**—Bright rose, a beautiful flower, very double and free blooming.  
**Napoleon Baumann.**—Bright red, veined with deep crimson, and very large.  
**Nevius.**—Large bright lilac, veined and striped with deep violet, sometimes spotted with pure white, distinct; a very free and attractive variety.  
**Roi des Pourpres.**—Deep rose, an enormous flower.

## NEW PETUNIAS.

### SINGLE FLOWERED VARIETIES.

18s. per dozen.

- Brilliant.**—The best crimson Petunia ever offered, exquisite form, extremely rich in colour, good habit, violet throat varied with black.  
**Charles Collin.**—Bright red centre broadly margined with lilac, and intersected with red veins.  
**Delicata.**—Bright crimson with light centre.  
**Eclatante.**—Very bright crimson with violet throat.  
**Eclipse.**—Mauve purple, margined and blotched with white.

- Eclipse.**—Mauve purple, forming sometimes five broad bars radiating from the centre, two or three of these being at other times confluent into a large purple blotch, while the rest of the surface is veined with mauve on a white ground.
- Emilie Lalvee.**—Bright pink with sulphur coloured centre.
- Etoile de France.**—Mauve, bordered with white.
- Gabriel Mathieu.**—Large flower, bright crimson, striped and ribboned with pure white, the best striped variety out.
- Inimitabilis grandiflora.**—Pure white, striped and blotched with crimson. A very beautiful and attractive variety.
- John Lothar Faber.**—Brilliant crimson, with large white throat; large flowers.
- La Meurthe.**—Dark crimson, reticulated with black, violet throat.
- Madame Bergeron.**—Mauve, irregularly blotched with white.
- **Nivelet.**—Rosy purple, veined and reticulated with crimson centre, black throat, good form, excellent habit, and free bloomer.
- **Sontag.**—Purple centre, broadly margined with lilac, and intersected with purple veins.
- Memnon.**—Large bold flower, purplish red, distinct white throat.
- Purpurea Maculata.**—Crimson, irregularly blotched with white.
- Surpasse Eliza Schaeffer.**—The best and most distinct single flowered variety of the season; bright crimson, margined and blotched with pure white, stiff flower and perfect form, good habit; excellent for bedding.

**WILLIAM BULL** has much pleasure in announcing that he will send out next spring the most beautiful collection of New Petunias ever offered. These have been raised at his Establishment by careful hybridisation, from the above varieties. Several thousand Seedlings can now be seen; an inspection is invited.

## NEW VERBENAS,

1s. 6d. each.

With the exception of *Grand Eastern*, the following Verbenas are all productions of Mr. C. J. Perry. They were exhibited seventeen times last season at the principal exhibitions in the kingdom, and took the first prize in every instance.

- Annie.**—A true mauve colour, white eye, fine form, and large and distinct from anything in cultivation.
- Auricula.**—Deep plum, with large white eye, fine form, and full sized truss, very similar in appearance to an Alpine Auricula.
- Brilliant.**—Purplish crimson, exceedingly bright, with distinct lemon coloured eye, very attractive.

**Grand Eastern.**—Colour bright rosy pink, with very large, clear, and intense white eye; of perfect form and fine substance, an excellent bedding variety and splendid exhibition flower, quite distinct from anything else out; the truss and individual flowers very large.

**Kate.**—Glossy pink with white eye. The surface of the flower has the appearance of having been varnished; a very free bloomer and a pleasing variety.

**Mulberry Superb.**—Deep mulberry, with large white eye, full sized truss of good form.

**Rainbow.**—An extraordinary variety and one of the most perfect *Verbenas* ever raised; colour crimson, with light blue eye, novel and attractive.

**WILLIAM BULL** is happy to say that he has made arrangements with that celebrated *Verbena* Grower and Raiser, **Mr. C. J. PERRY**, to send out a selection from his magnificent New Seedling Varieties next spring, particulars of which will be duly announced.

## NEW PENTSTEMONS.

*30s. per dozen.*

**Admiral Linois.**—Bright rosy scarlet, pure white throat, very fine.

**Albicans.**—Light rose, top of the tube white, slightly shaded, very distinct and pretty.

**Asmodee.**—Dark violet, salmon throat.

**Baron Gros.**—Rosy crimson, pencilled white throat, large and fine.

**Candide.**—Large flowers, light rose, cream coloured throat.

**Cardinal Richelieu.**—Bright scarlet, flowers immensely large, pure white throat.

**Carl Appelius.**—Soft rose, large light throat, immensely large flowers.

**Celestial.**—Large, pure white flowers, prettily tipped with bright lilac.

**Charles Wood.**—Rosy scarlet, throat white pencilled with maroon, large and very fine.

**Criterion.**—Purplish pink, throat white striped with crimson, a bold and distinct variety.

**Flora.**—Light rose, pure white throat, distinct and good.

**George Inglis.**—Rich rosy scarlet, pure white throat, individual flowers large and well expanded, beautiful spike.

**Gloire des Massifs.**—Bright scarlet with throat of snowy whiteness, very free bloomer and dwarf habit, a beautiful variety for bedding.

**Gloxinaeflorum.**—A very fine, large, gloxinia-like flowered variety.

**Hercule.**—An enormous flower, dark blood colour, light throat, a magnificent variety.

**Humboldt.**—Very long flower, bright red, white throat veined with red.

**Le Dante.**—Reddish violet, centre lilac, spotted with carmine, very large flowers.

**Madame Charles Baltet.**—Soft rose, with pure white throat, flowers immensely large.



- Magnum Bonum.**—Dark crimson, throat curiously shaded with blue.  
**Monsieur Memminger.**—Purplish red, large white throat veined with carmine, large flowers, a beautiful variety.  
**Multiflorum.**—Large compact spikes of flower, dwarf habit, colour soft lilac, white throat veined with purple.  
**Multiflorum.**—Rosy scarlet, free bloomer.  
**Odile.**—Purplish lilac, with pure white throat, very large flowers.  
**Purple Prince.**—Deep purplish blue, large and fine.  
**Seraph.**—Bright rosy puce, clear white throat, very fine.  
**St. Elmo.**—Deep blue, throat white, pencilled with purple, fine.  
**Vulcain.**—Bright scarlet, white throat veined with carmine, very large flowers.

## NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

### LARGE FLOWERING VARIETIES.

24s. *per dozen.*

- Ambrosia.**—Rosy nankeen, beautifully incurved, extra fine show flower.  
**Ariadne.**—Cream tinted buff, new and pleasing colour, free and fine for specimens.  
**Aurora Toulousaine.**—Yellow, very double.  
**Boadicea.**—Rose and cream, incurved, very double, distinct, and fine.  
**Caractacus.**—Rose carmine tipped blush, large and finely incurved, a splendid show flower.  
**Count Cavour.**—Rose carmine, medium size, full and fine.  
**Emily.**—Delicate blush, incurved stiff shell petals.  
**Etoile Filante.**—Silvery white, very double, imbricated.  
**Garibaldi.**—Red chestnut and orange, incurved and fine habit.  
**Golden Hermine.**—A magnificent sport of *Hermine*, producing bright golden orange flowers, tipped carmine; large, double, and finely incurved, a most desirable acquisition for specimens.  
**Golden Trilby.**—Golden yellow, finely incurved, a fine flower.  
**Grand Papa.**—Cinnamon orange, superb colour, very double.  
**Grand Turk.**—Rose purple, incurved and fine.  
**Juno.**—Large white anemone.  
**Lady Harding.**—Delicate rose pink tipped blush, a most valuable addition to this colour; the flowers, which are produced in great abundance, are large, very high in the centre, and most beautifully incurved; extra fine, either for cut blooms or specimen plants.  
**Leda.**—Large white, incurved, and fine habit.  
**Le Trouvere.**—Creamy white, very double.  
**Linda.**—Large purple crimson, tasselled and very attractive.



- Little Harry.**—Bright golden amber, quite new in colour, medium size, double, and perfectly symmetrical; the petals are stiff, smooth, and finely incurved, the habit dwarf and compact. This will be found one of the finest naturally incurved flowers ever raised, every bloom being a perfect model, and for pot culture unsurpassed.
- Lord Elgin.**—Bronzed rose, large, and finely incurved.
- Louis Barthere.**—Very bright crimson, imbricated and double.
- Madame Alphonse Dufoy.**—Pure white, prettily striped, distinct and good.
- **Bachoux.**—Rosy lilac.
- **Barthere.**—Carmine tipped with yellow.
- **Perreire.**—White shaped with salmon, very double.
- Mademoiselle Marie Barthere.**—Bright rose tipped with pure white, very fine.
- Pandora.**—Rosy nankcen with yellow centre, very full and beautifully incurved, extra fine show flower.
- Penelope.**—Rosy orange, large, very full, of great substance, and beautifully incurved, a splendid show flower.
- Phœbus.**—Brilliant golden orange, medium size, free blooming, and compact habit; a valuable late-flowering conservatory plant.
- Prince Consort.**—Crimson violet, full and incurved.
- Pyron.**—Red chestnut tipped gold, large and incurved.
- Queen of Whites.**—Large white, full and finely incurved.
- Rifleman.**—Dark ruby red; large, double, and beautifully incurved; fine habit, early and free blooming.
- Risetto.**—Sulphur, imbricated and very double.
- Rosette.**—Bright carmine, very fine.
- Yellow King.**—Very large yellow, incurved, a noble late flower.

## NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

### POMPONE VARIETIES.

*24s. per dozen.*

- Athos.**—Rosy purple.
- Aurora.**—Reddish chestnut shaded with yellow.
- Baron Duhamel de Breuil.**—Rose shaded with lilac and yellow.
- Bice Rosazza.**—Bright purple, superb.
- Calliope.**—Anemone, bright ruby red, with full high centre, fine habit, and abundant bloomer; a valuable plant for specimens.
- Canary Bird.**—Clear yellow, fine form and free, very dwarf and compact habit.
- Ceres.**—Golden yellow.
- Chromatella.**—Bright red bordered and tipped with yellow.
- Coquetterie.**—Rosy lilac tipped with yellow.

- Coquillage.**—Rosy salmon, edged with white, very pretty.
- Cratere.**—Fine bright red.
- De La Quintynie.**—Shaded violet.
- Diamant.**—White shaded with rose, imbricated.
- Diana.**—Pure white, fine form, and profuse bloomer; a valuable late flowering variety.
- Estelle.**—Lilac, shaded with violet, very double.
- Florence.**—Dark cherry with light centre, very pleasing colour and most abundant bloomer.
- Gaity.**—Bright red with orange border, dwarf and pretty.
- Galatea.**—Clear lilac, full size, very double and fine.
- Guillerette.**—Rosy purple, rich white marking.
- Illustration.**—Bright crimson, a fine variety.
- Jessie.**—Orange amber, flowering in compact heads, very dwarf and fine for specimens.
- La Folie.**—Light sulphur.
- Le Lilas Globuleux.**—Shining lilac.
- Madame Adolphe Weick.**—Clear rose.
- **Ambroise Verschaffelt.**—Bright pink shaded with rose, a fine variety.
- **Elisa Story.**—Light pink.
- **Emile de Girardin.**—Salmon carmine.
- **Eugenio Domage.**—Pure white.
- **Fourcade.**—Rose, shaded with primrose.
- **Leverrier.**—White, the reverse of the petals rose tipped with yellow.
- **Rendatler.**—Dark violet.
- **Thibaut.**—Blush, very pretty.
- Mademoiselle Marthe.**—Pure white, superb.
- Miniature.**—Yellow and red, very dwarf.
- Monsieur Domage.**—Bright yellow, good form.
- **Jacques.**—Bright centre.
- Nenni Das.**—Ground colour white, shaded with rosy lilac.
- Penelope.**—Rose tipped with white.
- Philippe Pele.**—Clear yellow.
- Princess Alice.**—Dark rose carmine, most brilliant colour, fine form, and very attractive.
- Priseilla.**—Clear orange, quilled, dwarf and pretty.
- The Little Gem.**—Delicate rose peach with distinct white border, very fine and full, of dwarf bushy habit—a lovely variety, remaining in bloom throughout December. (This beautiful flower was raised at the Royal Gardens, Windsor, by Mr. Ingram.)

## NEW FUCHSIAS,

42s. per dozen.

- Alarm.**—Tube rich scarlet crimson, sepals well reflexed, corolla immensely expanded, of fine form and substance, colour rich violet-plum; this variety is in advance of all others in the class of expanded corollas, for size, form, and colour.
- Always Ready.**—Sepals broad, bright earmino colour, very elegantly recurved to a half or three-quarters circle, the corolla rich blue.
- Amazement.**—The most handsome double Fuchsia yet offered, corolla rich dark purple of moderate size; sepals rich crimson and reflexed, good habit, and free bloomer.
- Ambassador.**—Crimson sepals, which are peculiarly long and reflexed; large rich plum coloured double corolla, very distinct.
- Annie.**—A noble-habited variety, with rich green foliage; the flowers have the tube and sepals white, glossy, the latter of good width and substance, well recurved, showing a large and beautiful bright smooth rose-coloured corolla; a picturesque and effective variety.
- Bianca.**—Corolla open and well expanded, white, and of good form; scarlet tube and sepals, the latter gracefully reflexed.
- Black Prince.**—A fine rich-coloured bold variety, the sepals broad, of a rich dark carmine-scarlet, beautifully recurved; the corolla very dark purple, the darkest in cultivation, barrel-shaped; a very distinct sort.
- Figaro.**—Crimson tube and sepals, the latter reflexed; corolla bright purple, striped with lake; quite new in colour, and very free, fine habit.
- Forget-Not.**—A very distinct variety, with broad, much recurved sepals, scarlet, passing to a light carmine; the corolla widely cup-shaped, opening rich damson-blue, and merging into violet-red and purple.
- Incomparable.**—*For description, see page 6.*
- King of Purples.**—A most noble Fuchsia, of great substance; tube and sepals scarlet crimson, broad, and well reflexed; corolla very large, violet; fine habit and free bloomer.
- Lord Elcho.**—A fine flower of great promise, with glossy rich carmine-scarlet sepals of great substance and breadth, and a handsomely incurved cup-shaped violet, blue corolla; effective and beautiful.
- Lucretia.**—Tube and sepals crimson; crimson-purple double corolla, sepals elegantly reflexed.
- Madame Van Houtte.**—A very fine large double corolla, purple, crimson sepals, well reflexed.
- Mammoth.**—This is the most remarkable Fuchsia ever raised for its extraordinary size; the flowers are double, twice the size of *Sir Colin Campbell*; the tube and sepals crimson, the latter broad and well reflexed; the corolla violet-purple, with vermilion stripe half way down the corolla; the plant is short jointed, of free growth, and producing abundance of bloom.
- Memnon.**—Crimson tubes and sepals, the latter reflexed to the tube and peculiarly whorled; very long, large, good shaped purple corolla.

- Minnie.**—Large open blue corolla of wonderful expansion crimson sepals elegantly reflexed, excellent habit, and profuse bloomer.
- Perseverance.**—Uniquely distinct and beautiful, with broad deeply recurved light carmine or salmon tinted sepals, and finely expanded cup-shaped rosy-lilac corolla.
- Pioneer.**—Tube and sepals crimson, the latter broad and reflexed; corolla very large; colour, light purple; free in habit, and the buds of the bloom are very handsome, being globular, and very large; they form a most attractive appearance.
- Prince Leopold.**—A large bold flower, with broad glossy carmine sepals, finely recurved, and showing a beautiful violet-purple cup-shaped corolla.
- Raphael.**—light rose-pink tube and sepals, the latter well reflexed, corolla violet-purple.
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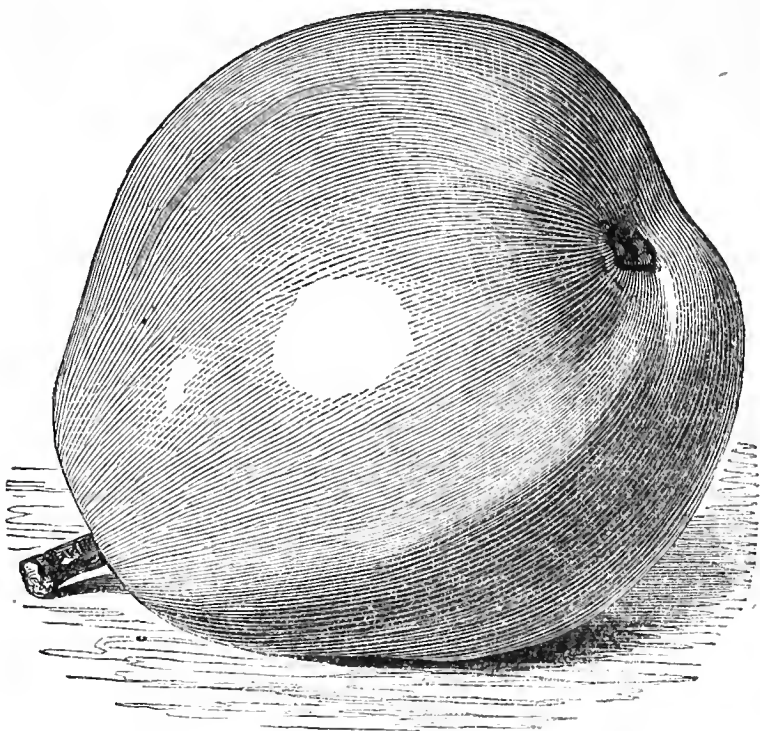
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